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<b>Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal</b>  Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	<b>Application Number</b>	09/471,964
	<b>Filing Date</b>	December 23, 1999
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Bickerstaff, et al.
	<b>Group Art Unit</b>	2143
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	Alina Boutah
	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	10559-096001

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i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

ii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☐ Amendment/Reply

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. ☒ Other Petition for Extension of Time
- Miscellaneous**

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b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
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i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)

ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)


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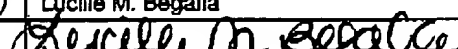
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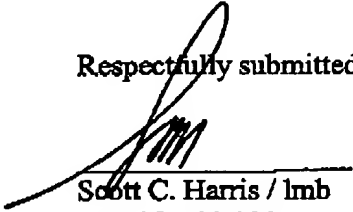
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